

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
District of Maine

THOMAS ST. YVES,)	
)	
Petitioner,)	
)	
vs.)	Civil No. 02-187-B-S
)	
JEFFREY MERRILL,)	
WARDEN, MAINE STATE PRISON)	
)	
Respondent.)	

**ORDER AFFIRMING THE
RECOMMENDED DECISION OF THE MAGISTRATE JUDGE**

The United States Magistrate Judge filed with the Court on March 24, 2003 his Recommended Decision. The Petitioner filed his objections to the Recommended Decision on April 1, 2003. I have reviewed and considered the Magistrate Judge's Recommended Decision, together with the entire record; I have made a de novo determination of all matters adjudicated by the Magistrate Judge's Recommended Decision; and I concur with the recommendations of the United States Magistrate Judge for the reasons set forth in his Recommended Decision, and determine that no further proceeding is necessary.

1. It is therefore ORDERED that the Recommended Decision of the Magistrate Judge is hereby AFFIRMED.

2. The Petition for writ of habeas corpus is DISMISSED without a hearing.

/s/ George Z. Singal
GEORGE Z. SINGAL
Chief U.S. District Judge

Dated this 24th day of April, 2003.

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